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1. Request That a Previously Filed Information Disclosure Statement be Made of Record (2 pages)
2. Copies of previously filed: Return Receipt Postcard (1 page), Transmittal Letter (1 page), Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages), PTO Form 1449 (1 page), Cited Reference (12 pages)

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A copy of a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed February 10, 2005, is enclosed herewith, including a further copy of the non-U.S. Patents cited therein. A copy of the return postcard is also enclosed. A Notice of Allowance has now been mailed without any indication that the references listed have been made of record.

Consideration of the references cited in the enclosed Statement and making them of

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record in the file of this application are respectfully requested.

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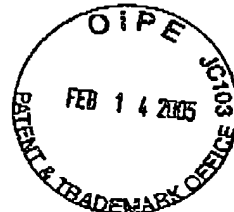
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:


- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page in duplicate);
- (3) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
- (4) PTO Form 1449 (1 page);
- (5) Copy of International Search Report/Written Opinion (11 pages).

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant(s) call(s) the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 to the Examiner's attention in this patent application.

This application has a filing date after June 30, 2003. Copies of the U.S Patent(s) and U.S. Published Patent Application(s) documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 are not enclosed.

Citation of these documents shall not be construed as (1) an admission that the documents are prior art with respect to the invention or inventions claimed in this application, (2) a representation that a search has been made (other than as indicated by any cited document), or (3) an admission that the cited information is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in § 1.56(b).

This information disclosure statement is submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) and consequently no fee should be required. Further, this information disclosure statement is submitted in accordance with § 1.97(e)(1), each item contained in this information disclosure

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statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement. The Commissioner is authorized, however to charge any fee that may be required, or to credit any overpayment against Deposit Account No. 502664.

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	1.	6,011, 287	01-04-2000	Itoh et al.				
	2.	6,504,757 B1	01-07-2003	Hollmer et al.				
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	3.	20020/0126532 A1	09-12-2002	Matsumaga, et al.				
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OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)								
	4.	ISA/European Patent Office, "Notification of Transmittal of the International Search Report and the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority, or the Declaration", mailed in related PCT/US2004/029426 on January 20, 2005, 12 pages.						
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